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Exhibit C

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9	UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT	
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12	In Re:	Case No. BK-N-14-50333-BTB Case No. BK-N-14-50331-BTB
13	ANTHONY THOMAS and WENDI THOMAS,	Chapter 11 Cases
14	WEIDE THE WILLS,	[Jointly Administered]
15	AT EMERALD, LLC,	EX PARTE MOTION TO FILE PURCHASE AND SALE AGREEMENT
16	Debtors.	UNDER SEAL
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18	Debtor, AT EMERALD, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company (hereinafter "AT	
19	Emerald" or "Debtor"), by and through its undersigned counsel, Holly E. Estes, Esq., of the	
20	Law Offices of Alan R. Smith, hereby files its Ex Parte Motion to File Purchase and Sale	
21	Agreement Under Seal ("Motion"). This Motion is made and based upon Federal Rule of	
22	Bankruptcy Procedure 9018, Local Rule 9018, the points and authorities set forth below, the	
23	Declaration Of Anthony Thomas In Support Motion To Sell Assets Free And Clear Of Liens	
24	And Motion to File Purchase and Sale Agreement Under Seal, the pleadings and papers on	
25	file herein, and such other matters as may be presented at the hearing hereon.	
26	POINTS AND AUTHORITIES	
27	A. <u>Background.</u>	
Law Offices of ALAN R. SMITH 505 Ridge Street Reno, Nevada 89501 (775) 786-4579	On June 23, 2014, the Debtor filed its Motion To Sell Assets Free And Clear Of Liens H: WT Emerald Woot Self Mot File PSA Under Seal (Replace) 062714 hee.wpd	
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Law Offices of ALAN R. SMITH 505 Ridge Street Reno, Nevada 89501 (775) 786-4579 And Motion to File Purchase and Sale Agreement Under Seal (the "Sale Motion"). The Sale Motion seeks authority for the Debtor to sell its only asset, a 21,000 carat emerald (the "Emerald"). The Emerald is currently located at Sarasota Vault, 640 South Washington Blvd., Ste. 125, Sarasota, Florida 34236.

1. Purchase price and terms.

Attached to the Sale Motion as **Exhibit "A"** is a fully executed copy of the Purchase And Sale Agreement (hereinafter the "Agreement"). Under the Agreement, the purchaser agrees to purchase the Emerald for cash, payable at close of escrow. Pursuant to the Agreement, both parties have requested that the purchase price not be disclosed in any public document, but be filed with the Court under seal.

As set forth in the Sale Motion, the purchase price is sufficient to pay all creditors in this case, as well as all creditors in the companion case of ANTHONY THOMAS and WENDI THOMAS, Case No. BK-N-14-50333-BTB (the "Thomas Bankruptcy Case") in full. The purchase price is to be paid in cash, within three days following entry of an order approving the sale or three days following the inspection and acceptance of the Emerald by the purchaser. The Agreement provides that the purchaser shall have eleven days following execution of the Agreement to approve the condition of the Emerald, and that the Debtor shall have ten days following execution of the Agreement to confirm that the purchaser has sufficient cash to consummate the transaction. By the date of the hearing on this Motion, both conditions will likely have been satisfied, as the Agreement was executed on June 19, 2014 and the condition required to be met not later that June 30.

Anthony and Wendi Thomas request that the purchase price remain undisclosed. As set forth in 11 U.S.C. § 107(c), information need not be disclosed if it would create undue risk of unlawful injury to the individual. As stated in <u>Collier on Bankruptcy</u>, ¶ 107.04 (16th ed.),

Section 107(c) gives the court broad discretion to protect an individual with respect to any information, including identifying information, in a paper filed or to be filed with the court to the extent that the court finds that disclosure of the information would create an undue risk of identify theft or unlawful injury

to the individual or the individual's property.

individual Debtors and is not necessary.

DATED this 23rd day of June, 2014.

Unlike section 107(b), section 107(c) requires a showing of cause. It does not require a request to the court; although most orders under the section will be initiated in that manner, the court can act sua sponte. There is also no requirement that a request be made by a party in interest. However, the protection of the subsection extends only to individuals, and only to prevent injury to the person or property of individuals.

In this case, disclosure of the actual purchase price poses a risk to the individual Debtors Anthony and Wendi Thomas and is not necessary. Debtor will file under seal an nonredacted copy of the Purchase And Sale Agreement with the Court.

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CONCLUSION

to the Sale Motion as Exhibit "A", and the Debtor requests that the purchase price remain

confidential. The sale is for a value far in excess of all secured and unsecured claims of both

this estate and the Thomas Bankruptcy Case. The sale is to be consummated in a short period

of time, and the proceeds of this sale are protected in an interest bearing trust account. It is

in the best interests of the individual Debtors, Anthony and Wendi Thomas, that the purchase

price remain confidential as disclosure of the actual purchase price poses a risk to the

Accordingly, the actual purchase price has been redacted from the Agreement attached

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